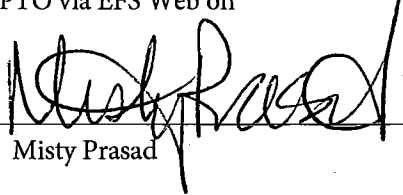


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RESPONSE TO A FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 13, 2010, Applicants respectfully request consideration and entry of the following amendments and remarks.

The deadline to respond to the Final Office Action was January 13, 2011. A Request for a One Month Extension of Time is filed herewith. This submission is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination and an RCE fee under 1.17(e).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.